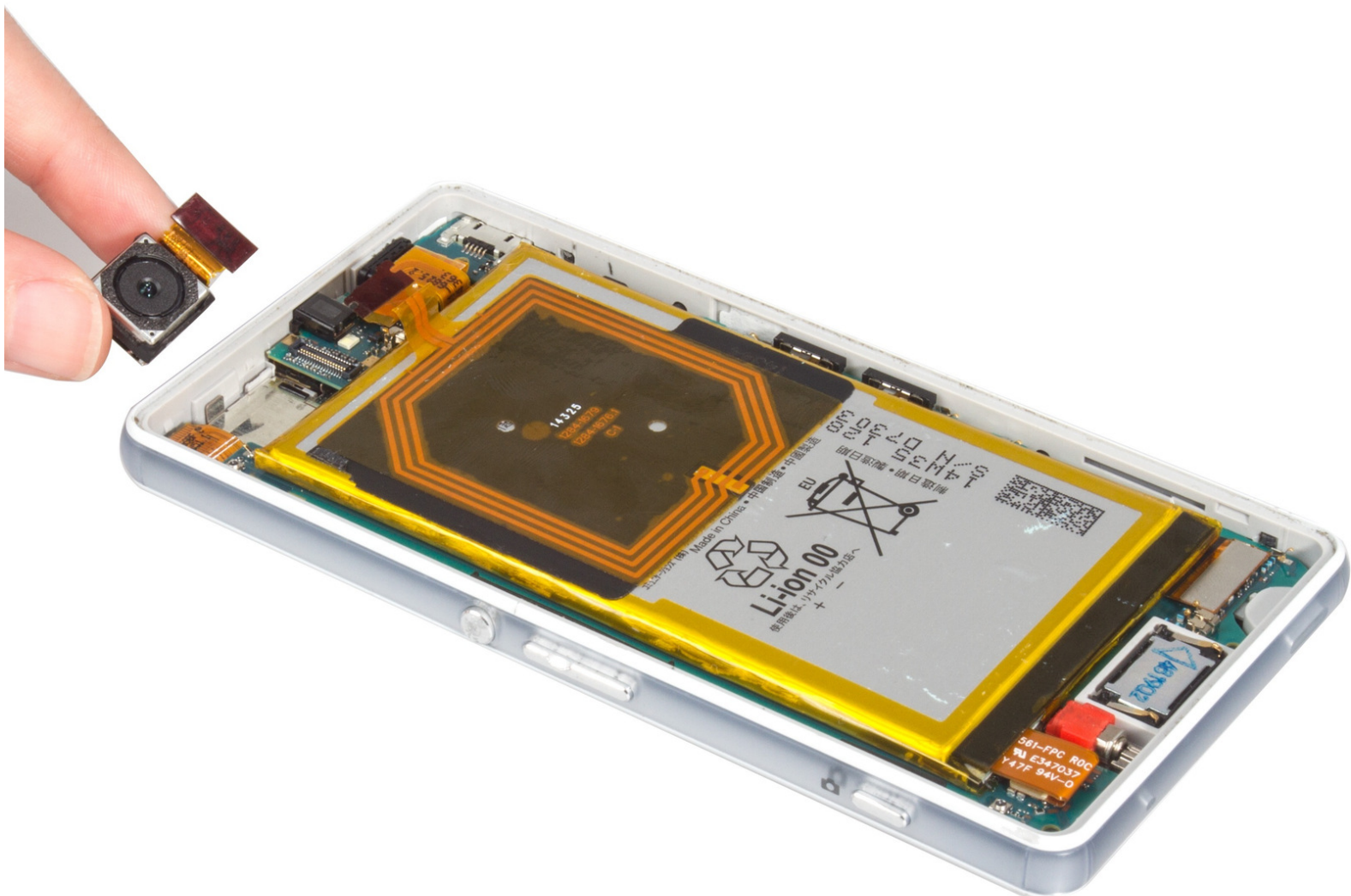




# Sony Xperia Z3 Compact Rear Camera Replacement

Use this guide to remove the rear-facing camera in your Sony Xperia Z3 Compact.

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## INTRODUCTION

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### TOOLS:

- [Heat Gun](#) (1)
- [Suction Handle](#) (1)
- [iFixit Opening Picks set of 6](#) (1)
- [Spudger](#) (1)
- [Phillips #000 Screwdriver](#) (1)



### PARTS:

- [Sony Xperia Z3 Compact Rear camera](#) (1)
- [Sony Xperia Z3 Compact Back Cover Adhesive Strips](#) (1)
- [Sony Xperia Z3 Compact back cover sticker](#) (1)

## Step 1 — Rear Camera



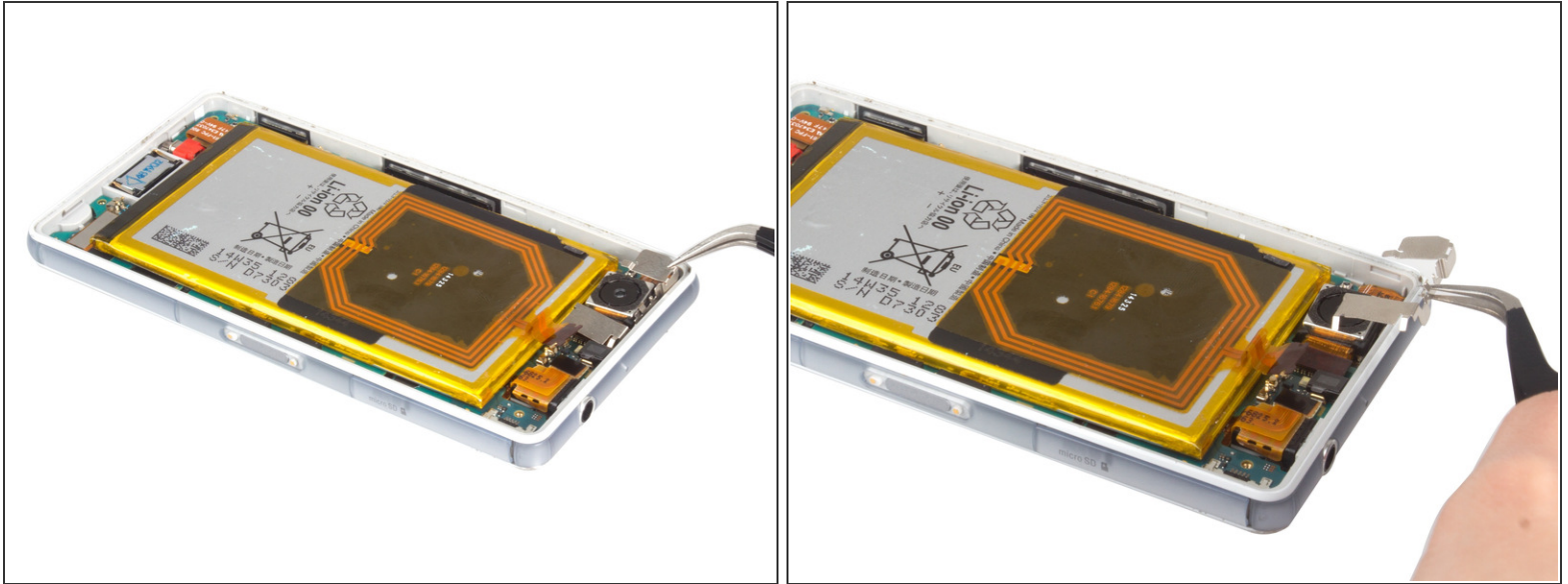
- Carefully use a heat gun or hairdryer to melt the adhesive holding the rear case to the phone.
- Use a suction cup to lift the rear case slightly, enough to slide an opening pick around the edge and loosen the adhesive.
- Remove back cover.

## Step 2



- Disconnect the NFC antenna.
- Unscrew the screws holding the black midframe in place.
- Remove back frame.

## Step 3



- Disconnect the battery (orange connector on the bottom left of your phone; in the image in the top left corner)
- Remove rear camera bracket.

## Step 4



- Release connector, but take care not to damage the electronic components next to the connector. It is best to access the connector from the bottom (battery side), and not from the side as the picture shows
- Remove rear camera

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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